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**AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.**  
LONDON: F. AGAR, 11, Clement's Lane,  
Lombard Street. CHARGE STREET, 30,  
Cornhill. GORDON & GORE, 121, Ab-  
church Lane. E. C. BATES, HENDY & CO.,  
Old Bailey, E.C.  
AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW  
ZEALAND:—Gordon & Gore, Mel-  
bourne and Sydney.  
SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports  
generally:—Winters & Bauer, San  
Francisco.  
CHINA:—Messrs. DROWN & CO. Amoy,  
GILES & CO. Fuzhou, THOMPSON &  
CO. Shanghai, HENDERSON & KELLY,  
Hongkong, C. HENDERSON & CO. Canton.

**Arrivals.**  
Sept. 3, *Peruvian*, American ship, 1168  
Tons, Yokohama, Aug. 16, Ballast—  
Augustine Heard & Co.  
Sept. 3, *John George*, Brit. barque, 369,  
Barron, Sunderland, and Warwick, April 6  
and 25, 320 tons Coal.—P. & O. Co.  
Sept. 3, *Hindostan*, British steamer, 901,  
Rangoon, Calcutta, Penang, and Singapore,  
Aug. 21, 26 and 28, 1322 bales Opium and  
2198 packages Sundries.—DAVID SASSOON,  
Sons & Co.  
Sept. 3, *Lyons*, British barque, 425,  
Sunderland, Yokohama, July 29, Ballast.  
S. E. HENDERSON & CO.  
Sept. 3, *Johnanna*, N. G. brig, 200, Stig-  
man, Newchwang, 4700 piculs Beans.—Wm.  
Pearce & Co.  
Sept. 3, *Shanghai*, Amer. steamer, 1802,  
Clark, Shanghai, Aug. 31, General.—Au-  
gustine Heard & Co.  
Sept. 3, *Kaimama*, N. G. barque, 288,  
Kohn, Newchwang, July 26, General.—  
Wm. Pearce & Co.  
Sept. 3, *Arabella*, British barque, 349,  
Barron, Sunderland, Singapore, July 30  
and August 20, 2000 bales Cotton.—David  
Sassoon, Sons & Co.  
Sept. 3, *Shanghai*, British barque, 357,  
Staines, Cardiff, April 20, 572 tons Coal—  
Oiler.

**Departures.**  
Sept. 3, *Rodrigo*, for Manila.  
3, *Blairmore*, for Melbourne.  
3, *Nova*, for Yokohama.  
3, *Sophia*, for Newchwang.

**Passengers.**  
*Per Hindostan*, 3 Europeans and 31 Chi-  
nese.

**Shipping Reports.**  
The American steamer *Shanghai*, Capt.  
Clark, from Shanghai, reports fine weather  
as far as Ningpo, thence squally weather  
till arrival in port. The steamer *Rona* left  
Shanghai on same day as the *Suomenmaa* for  
Hongkong.

The North G. brig *Johnanna*, from New-  
chwang, reports fine weather, light winds  
and calm the first part of passage; the  
latter part squally weather, rain and strong  
wind from S. W. as far as Anhoy, thence  
had wind from E. to S. E. till arrival in  
port.

The British barque *Arabella*, Captain  
Roper, from Tuticoree (Southern India),  
reports fine weather and winds from S. W.  
the first part of passage until last 3 days,  
when had variable winds from N. E. to S. E.  
and arrival in port.

The North G. barque *Kaimama*, Captain  
Kohn, from Newchwang, reports fine weather,  
light winds and calm till nearly all the  
passage, on 22nd August, off North of  
Formosa, passed the N. G. brig *Martha*,  
from Newchwang bound to this port; on  
same day, spoke *Ellen Rickmers*, from New-  
chwang bound to this port.

The British barque *John George*, from  
Sunderland via Harwich, reports moderate  
weather, crossed the Equator on 2nd June,  
in long. 27° W.; passed the meridian of the  
Cape of Good Hope on 8th July, in lat. 37°  
S.; made Amsterdam Island on 29th July;  
came to anchor in Straits of Sunda on 11th August;  
arrived at Amoy on 15th August, and left  
on 16th. Up China Sea moderate weather  
till arrival in Hongkong, on 2nd Sept.  
19 days from Harwich. On 10th June,  
in lat. 17° S., long. 36° W., spoke a Macklen-  
burg ship, from Hamburg bound to Hong-  
kong, 40 days out.

Messrs. Agar & Co.'s New Opium Clip-  
per S.S. *Hindostan*, left Calcutta on Aug.  
19; was detained in the river until August  
21; at 3 a.m. discharged Pilot; experienced  
strong S.W. monsoon and heavy beam sea  
as far as the Coos, and fine weather  
thence to Penang, arriving at noon on the  
24th; left same day at 6 p.m. and arrived  
at Singapore on the 28th at 7 a.m.; left  
Singapore at 7 p.m. and arrived here at 8.30 a.m.  
on 31st, having had strong S. W. winds and  
squally weather during the latter part of  
the passage. She brings 1822 chests of  
Opium and 2198 packages of Sundries; is  
commanded by Capt. H. de Bink, late of  
S. S. *Aviation*.

The British barque *Sudair*, Capt. J.  
Staines, from Cardiff, reports fine weather  
crossed the Equator on 10th June, in long.  
26° 40' W.; passed the meridian of the  
Cape of Good Hope on 6th July, in lat. 35° 20'  
S.; made China time Island on 18th August  
and Java Head on 14th; arrived at Amoy  
on 16th and left on 17th. Up China Sea  
fine weather with occasional squalls all the  
passage; arrived at Hongkong on 3rd Sept.  
19 days out. On 14th July, in lat. 26° S.,  
long. 120° E., spoke the *Isabella*, Ridley,  
from London, bound to Hongkong, 83 days  
out.

**Entertainments.**  
**THEATRE LUSITANO.**  
**MONDAY, SEPT. 6.**  
GRAND FASHIONABLE NIGHT AND  
FAREWELL BENEFIT OF  
MISS FANNY RAYNE.  
GREAT ATTRACTION.  
Miss Annis Hill.  
Has kindly given her valuable services  
For This Night Only.  
COMEDY COMEDY.  
DELICATE GROUND.  
HAMLET.  
BARDELL F. PICKWICK.  
LOOKED OUT.

By kind permission of Col. Knox Goss,  
the Band of H. M. 24th Regiment, will be  
in attendance.  
Box Plan and Tickets at Messrs. LANE,  
CRAWFORD & CO.  
Hongkong, August 31, 1869. se27

**New Advertisements.**  
**FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND  
SINGAPORE.**  
CONSIGNEES of Opium and Sundries  
per S.S. *HINDOSTAN*, are hereby in-  
formed that the same will be landed  
and stored in our Godowns at ship's expense but  
shippers' risk, and delivery may be had at  
any time prior to the 12th instant, after  
which date Godown rent will be charged.  
DAVID SASSOON SONS & CO.  
Hongkong, September 3, 1869. se12

**FOR SAN FRANCISCO.**  
The American barque  
"*ALVAREZ*,"  
Bernard, Master, will follow the  
"*North Star*," for the above port,  
and have despatch.  
For Freight, apply to  
J. HEARD & CO.

**HOLIDAY, WISE & CO.,**  
Hongkong, September 2, 1869. se3

**FOR SALE, EX "LASS OF CALVER."**  
Tons Walstead COALS, from  
Newcastle, Australia.  
Apply to  
AUGUSTINE, HEARD & CO.  
Hongkong, September 2, 1869. se8

**JUST LANDED.**  
WATSON'S Mixed JUJUBES.  
"Magnum Bonum JUJUBES."  
"Glycerine JUJUBE."  
"Pink and Fine JUJUBES."  
"BARLEY SUGAR, LEMON DROPS,  
BURNT ALMONDS, FRUIT LOZEN-  
GES."  
Black Currant LOZENGES.  
Watson's HEARTBURN, PAREGORIC,  
MORPHIA & IPECAC. CHLORODYNE,  
IPECACUANHA, BISMUTH, CHLO-  
RATE OF P. TASH TOLU, and SANTO-  
NINE LOZENGES.

Bragg's Charcoal BISCUITS.  
Sowett's COCOA-TINA—Epps's COCOA.  
Fine new English HONEY.  
A. S. WATSON & CO.,  
Hongkong Dispensary.  
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**TO LET.**  
With Immediate Possession.  
BUNGALOW at Pokfulam.  
Apply to  
LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1869.

THE Office of the Underinsured has been  
REMOVED TO BANK BUILDINGS,  
opposite HONGKONG HOTEL.  
BOSMAN & CO.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1869. se8

**THE LANCASHIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.**  
SHORT PERIOD RATES.

THE Underinsured are prepared to grant  
Police against Fire at the rate of 1  
per cent. of the annual charge, viz: 1st per cent  
for any term, not exceeding ten days.  
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & CO.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, August 28, 1869. se28

**HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
THE Underinsured are prepared to accept  
risks in the above Company for a  
period of Ten Days on Merchandise stored  
in first class Godowns, at one eighth of one  
per cent.

JARDINE, MATHEWSON & Co.,  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, August 26, 1869. tf

**NOTICE.**  
**ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE Underinsured are authorized to  
accept the reduced rate of One Eighth  
of the annual premium on Insurances  
effectuated for any term not exceeding Ten  
Days.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, August 11, 1869. tf

**New Advertisements.**  
**EX "INVINCIBLE."**  
BASS'S Draught ALE.  
Copeland's TOILET SERVICES.  
A Child's SWING.  
Cheest EXPANDERS and DOTOSTHE-  
NES.  
Croquet SETS and STANDS.  
Eley's OARS and GALLEYS.  
BLANKETS and FLANNELS.  
Rugby FOOTBALLS.  
BRASS REDSTEADS.  
MAST HOOPS.  
FIRE GRATES, FENDERS and IRONS.  
COIN MATS, with Fancy Borders.  
Carriage LAMPS.  
Office and Dinner BELLS.  
Handsome CHROMO-LITHOGRAPHS.  
Perry's Office SUNDRIES.  
Christy's Felt, Straw and Silk HATS.  
Rowland's KALYDOE.  
Baking POWDER and GELATINE.  
Morgan's Copying PRESSES.  
Whyte's Malville's, Mr. Riddle's, Onida's,  
Trollope's, Mrs. Wood's, Wilkie Col-  
lins', Mrs. Gaskell's, Edmund Yates',  
Charles Reade's, Lever's, Ainsworth's,  
Miss Braddon's, Disraeli's, Salem Cha-  
pel Series, and other recent and STAN-  
DARD NOVELS, in paper binding.  
Chambers' ENCYCLOPEDIA.  
Dr. SYDNEY'S TOUR.  
French NOVELS.  
Schiller's WORKS, in German.  
Carpentier's SYNONYMS.  
Anderson's Mercantile CORRESPON-  
DENCE.  
French and English DICTIONARIES.  
Dawson's BOOTS.  
Waterlow's STATIONERY and Office  
SUNDRIES.  
Messrs. Double PERAMBULATORS.

Pickled TONGUES, from Sherwood and  
Vernon.  
Morgan's Letter SCALES.  
WHEELS of LIFE.  
Hendrick's Dry CHAMPAGNE.  
Hennessy's one and three star BRANDY.  
Swaine's Ginger BRANDY.  
Henry's CANVAS.  
Frost's ROPE.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.  
Hongkong, August 30, 1869. seep

**ILLUMINATIONS.**  
TRANSPARENCIES, TRIUMPHAL  
ARCHES.  
And other DECORATIONS.  
For the approaching visit of  
HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS  
THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH.  
THE Underinsured is now prepared to  
execute orders for the above. All  
information in reference thereto, can be  
obtained from  
Messrs. WILSON & SALWAY.  
JOHN B. HOLLAND,  
Scenic Artist &c.  
Hongkong, July 5, 1869. tf

**FOR SALE.**  
FRESH Californian HAY and OATS.  
RUSSELL & CO.  
Hongkong, August 21, 1869. tf

**FOR SALE.**  
CHAMPAGNE.  
ROEDERER, Carte Noire.  
" " Carte Blanche.  
" " Carte Blanche Doré.  
" " Gladiateur.  
SANDER & CO.,  
Sole Agents for Hongkong and China.  
Hongkong, July 5, 1869. tf

**JUDSON'S SIMPLE DYES** of every hue  
can be had at  
THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.  
Hongkong, August 27, 1869. se27

**JUST ARRIVED EX EASTERN STAR  
AND FOR SALE BY THE  
UNDERINSURED.**  
50 Cases superior Breakfast CLARET  
(Black Seal.)  
50 Cases superior Dinner CLARET  
(Blue Seal.)  
Hongkong, August 30, 1869. se6

**FOR SALE.**  
JULES ROBIN COGNAC, in cases.  
Wm. FUSTAU & Co.,  
Hongkong, August 26, 1869. se120

**NOTICE.**  
DENT & Co.'s ESTATE.  
A THIRD DIVIDEND of Shares per  
certum upon the amount of all  
Claims admitted by the Trustees will be  
paid on the 26th September next.  
On application at the Office of the Trust-  
ees, No. 7, Fendler's Hill, Creditors will be  
furnished with warrants signed by the  
Trustees which will be payable at the Office  
of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking  
Corporation.  
Hongkong, August 7, 1869. ocl

**New Advertisements.**  
Ex "Diomed" and "Overland Mail."  
MISS ROSE has received a choice as-  
sortment of Ladies' BONNETS and  
HATS, Tulle HAT and Bonnet SHAPES,  
Infants' white BONNETS and HOODS,  
Children's Sun HATS in all sizes.  
Satin and Taffeta SASH and other RIB-  
BONS in great variety.  
BELTING in all shades.  
Black and colored FICHUS.  
Blonde LACES.  
Muslin INSERTION and TRIMMING.  
French FLOWERS, OSTRICH & FAN-  
CY FEATHERS.  
BRAIN WOOL WORK.  
Ladies' and Children's BOOTS & SHOES.  
HENDRIKS' PERFUMERY.  
&c. &c. &c.  
WELLINGTON STREET.  
Opposite the Catholic Chapel.  
Hongkong, August 26, 1869.

THE following Select and Fashionable  
REFUMES, have just been opened  
out, ex "Diomed" and "Overland Mail," viz:  
THE DUX of ENIMBOROUGH, UPPER TEN  
THOUSAND, and YOKAMAMBA, &c. &c.  
THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.  
Hongkong, August 27, 1869. se27

**NOTICE.**  
All persons indebted to THOMAS JAMES  
Reynolds, late Moulder in Her Majesty's  
Naval Dock Yard, are requested to pay  
the Amount forthwith. Persons having  
Claims against him are requested to send in  
particulars of their claims on or before the  
30th day of September, 1869, after which  
date no claims will be received or admitted.  
D. ILLINGWORTH,  
Executor.

West Point Foundry,  
Hongkong, August 31, 1869. seep

**NEITHER** the Captain or Agents of the  
British Barque "*KILLARNEY*"  
will be RESPONSIBLE for any Debts  
contracted by the Crew of the said Vessel.  
BIRLEY & CO.  
Hongkong, August 30, 1869. tf

**NEITHER** Capt. SCHMIDT or the Under-  
insured will be Responsible for any  
Debts contracted by the Crew of the N. G.  
Ship "*Adler*."  
EDWARD SCHELLHASS & Co.,  
Agents N. G. Ship "*Adler*."  
Hongkong, July 19, 1869.

**Auctions.**  
THE Underinsured has received in-  
structions to sell by Public Auction,  
on the Premises, on  
**WEDNESDAY,**  
the 15th September, 1869, at Noon,  
(unless disposed of previously by Private  
Contract.)  
All those Pieces or Parcels of LAND,  
with 40 Chinese Houses standing thereon,  
situated near the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s  
Factory, Singapore, and registered in  
the Land Office, as Inland Lots 634 and  
680.  
Inland Lot 634, measuring North on  
Second Street, Singapore, 105 feet;  
South on Third Street, Singapore, 105  
feet; East on a close Inland Lot, No.  
635, 150 feet; West on Government  
Ground, 150 feet, in all 15,750 square  
feet. Annual Crown rent, \$138.84.  
Inland Lot 680, measuring North on  
Second Street, Singapore, 524 feet; South  
on Third Street, Singapore, 524 feet;  
East on a close Inland Lot, No. 634, 150  
feet; West on a close Inland Lot, No.  
624, 150 feet; in all 7,875 square feet.  
Annual Crown rent, \$69.42.  
The whole of the Property is now let  
at a monthly rental of \$100, and is covered  
against Fire to the extent of \$8,000,  
until 6th August, 1870.  
Further particulars may be obtained  
upon application to the Underinsured.  
TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the pur-  
chase money to be paid on fall of the  
hammer, the remaining two-thirds on  
completion of Transfer, within Ten days  
of Sale. All expenses of Transfer to be  
borne by the purchaser.  
C. D. BOTTOMLEY,  
Auctioneer.  
Hongkong, August 25, 1869. se15

**LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.** have  
received instructions to sell by  
Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms,  
Queen's Road, on  
**THURSDAY,**  
the 16th September, at 4 p.m.,  
(The property of the late Mr. Margeson).  
The Bay Arab Horse *ESCA*.  
The Brown Arab Horse *CHARLEY*.  
(Both quiet to ride or drive, and have  
carried a lady).  
A Four wheel DOG CART, with  
Hood and fitted with Pole and shafts,  
either for one horse or a pair.  
A Set of Silver Plated Single HAR-  
NESS.  
A Set of Silver Plated Double HAR-  
NESS (almost new).  
A Gentleman's SADDLE AND TWO  
BRIDLES.  
BITS, CLOTHING, Driving and  
Riding WHIPS, &c. &c.  
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery  
in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.  
All lots, with all faults and errors of  
description, at Purchaser's risk on the  
fall of the hammer.  
Hongkong, August 23, 1869. se16

**Auctions.**  
HER Majesty's Vessel *RIFLEMAN*  
and the Gun Boats *WEAZEL* and  
*BUSTARD* will be sold by Auction at  
the Naval Yard, Hongkong, on  
**THURSDAY,**  
the 18th November, 1869.  
The following are the particulars:—  
"*Riflesman*," 486 Tons, 100 Horse  
Power.—She is three masts schooner rig-  
ged (standing wire rigging complete), has  
all her Masts and Yards, one end of  
Sails, two Anchors, one hundred and  
sixty-two fathoms of Chain Cable, Da-  
vies, Stanchions, &c. The Boilers (2 in  
all) are good; but the Engines require  
repair.  
"*Weazel*," 235 Tons, 60 Horse Power.  
—The Engines are in good working  
order.—The Boilers (3 in all) are unfit  
for high pressure. She has one Anchor,  
Chain Cable, one Dowton's Pump; but  
no Masts, Yards or Sails.  
"*Bustard*," 234 Tons, 60 Horse Power.  
—The Engines are in good working  
order.—The Boilers (3 in all) are con-  
siderably worn but repairable. She has  
one Anchor, Chain Cable, Awnings, one  
Dowton's Pump, and Firebricks; but  
no Masts, Yards or Sails.  
Further particulars can be obtained  
on application to the Underinsured.  
ALFRED H. PRICE,  
Naval Storekeeper.  
NAVAL YARD,  
Hongkong, August 28, 1869. no18

**Banks.**  
**HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING  
CORPORATION.**  
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.  
THE DIVIDEND declared for the half  
year ended 30th June last, at the rate  
of Twelve per cent per annum, say \$7.50  
per paid-up Share of \$125, and \$1.50 per  
Share on which \$25 have been paid, is  
payable on and after THURSDAY the 19th  
instant, at the Offices of the Corporation,  
where Shareholders are requested to apply  
for Warrants.  
By Order of the Court of Directors,  
VICTOR KRESSER,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, August 16, 1869.

**HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-  
ING CORPORATION.**  
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.  
NORICE is hereby given that the Unpaid  
Capital of One Hundred Dollars per  
Share on the 30,000 New Shares of the  
Corporation's Stock will fall due on the  
dates following, viz:—  
On 1st July, 1869, \$25  
1st July, 1870, 25  
1st Jan., 1872, 25  
1st Jan., 1873, 25  
Shareholders electing to pay the whole  
or any portion of the above Calls by anti-  
cipation will receive interest at the rate of  
5 per cent per annum, payable half-yearly,  
until the respective dates at which the  
Calls shall fall due, and receipts for such  
payments will be issued at the Head Office  
and Branches.  
By Order of the Court of Directors,  
VICTOR KRESSER,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

**HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-  
ING CORPORATION.**  
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF  
DOLLARS.

**COURT OF DIRECTORS.**  
Chairman—GEO. F. HEARD, Esq.  
Deputy Chairman—JULIUS MENKE, Esq.  
GEORGE J. HELLAND, Hon. J. B. TAYLOR,  
Esq. A. JOOST, Esq.  
WILLIAM LEMANN, J. P. DUNCANSON,  
Esq. W. H. FORBES, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT,  
S. D. SASSOON, Esq. Esq.  
And,  
E. R. BELLION, Esq.  
Managers.  
Hongkong, . . . VICTOR KRESSER, Esq.  
Shanghai, . . . DAVID MACLEAN, Esq.  
LONDON BANKERS.—London and County  
Bank.

**HONGKONG.**  
INTEREST ALLOWED  
ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate  
of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily  
balance.  
On Fixed Deposits:—  
For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "  
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "  
LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.  
Credits granted on approved Securities,  
and every description of Banking and  
Exchange business transacted.  
Drafts granted on London, and the  
chief Commercial places in Europe, India,  
Australia, America, China and Japan.  
VICTOR KRESSER,  
Chief Manager.  
Offices of the Corporation,  
No. 1, Queen's Road East.  
Hongkong, January 1, 1869. tf

**Shipping.**  
STEAM TO  
SWATOW, AMOY & POOGHOW.  
HE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s S.S.  
"*AZOL*,"  
will have immediate despatch for the above  
Ports.  
W. MACAULAY,  
Superintendent.  
Hongkong, August 27, 1869.

STEAM TO  
SINGAPORE, POINT DE GALLE AND  
BOMBAY.  
HE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship  
"*CADIZ*,"  
will leave for the above places, about the  
7th instant.  
W. MACAULAY,  
Superintendent.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1869. se7

STEAMER *DIOMED* FOR LONDON.  
Positive engagements to the  
extent of 400 Tons of Cargo,  
800 Tons of which may con-  
sist of Drugs, can be made in  
the above steamer on or before the 30th  
instant, after which date applications can  
only be noted pending the arrival of the  
steamer from Shanghai.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BIRLEY & CO.  
Hongkong, August 24, 1869.

P. M. S. S. Co.'s STR. *AMERICA*, FOR  
YOKOHAMA & SAN FRANCISCO.  
This steamer will be de-  
parted for the above  
Ports on Sept. 18.  
For Freight or Passage,  
apply to the Underinsured.  
T. A. HARRIS,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, August 23, 1869. se18

FOR MANILA.  
The Spanish ship  
"*ALVAREZ*,"  
Yraola, Master, will have  
quick dispatch for the above  
ports.  
For Freight and Passage, apply to  
REMEDIOS & Co.  
Hongkong, September 2, 1869.

FOR NEW YORK.  
The American ship  
3/8 & 1/11 Tons, will have  
despatch from Whampoa for  
the above port, and has room  
for a limited amount of freight at \$1.17.6  
per ton of 40 feet.  
For Freight, apply to  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & CO.  
Hongkong, August 21, 1869. se21

FOR NEW YORK.  
The American Clipper-ship  
B. F. SEABURNE, Master, having  
the greater portion of her cargo  
engaged, will load here and at  
Whampoa, and have immediate despatch  
for the above Port.  
For Freight, apply to  
OLYPHANT & Co.  
Hongkong, July 9, 1869. tf

FOR NEW YORK.  
The North German Barque,  
"*DOCTOR PETERMANN*,"  
FREDERICKS, Master, having  
the greater portion of her cargo  
engaged, will load here and at  
Whampoa, and have immediate despatch  
for the above Port.  
For Freight, apply to  
OLYPHANT & Co.  
Hongkong, August 18, 1869. tf

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.  
The British ship  
"*NORTH STAR*,"  
will have quick dispatch for the  
above port.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.  
Hongkong, July 13, 1869. se27

**Notices to Consignees.**  
DUTCH BARQUE *MARIA LOUISA*,  
ANTOINETTE, FROM HAMBURG.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by above-named  
vessel are requested to send in their  
Bills of Lading to the Underinsured for  
counter-signature, and to take immediate  
delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel  
will be landed and stored at consignees'  
expense.  
BOURJAU, HUBNER & Co.  
Hongkong, August 30, 1869.

"*EASTERN STAR*" FROM LONDON.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-  
named vessel are requested to send in  
their Bills of Lading to the Underinsured  
for counter-signature, and take immediate  
delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel  
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GILMAN & Co.  
Hongkong, August 30, 1869.

ES 29/38 TEN CARRS MERCHANDIZE,  
TR SHIPPED BY Messrs GILMAN & Co.,  
S and consigned to order, have been  
landed and stored for account and risk of  
the Consignees, and if not taken delivery  
of before 10th September, 1869, will be  
sold at public auction to cover freight and  
expenses.  
MELCHERS & Co.  
Hongkong, August 28, 1869. tf



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NOTICE.  
THE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.  
Ex "Cambridge," 2d February, 1899.  
GFO 18985. 1 case Chemicals.  
Ex "Donna," 28th July, 1899.  
JO 4. 1 case Effects.  
Ex "Hoogy," 23rd August, 1899.  
OMT. 1 case Bedding.  
VEB. 1 case Baggage.  
VTAO. 1 Portmanteau.  
HONGKONG, August 28, 1899.

## No. 100 of Firms.

NOTICE.  
THE interest and responsibility of the late Mr. HENRY DAVIES MARSHALL in our Firm passed on the 30th June last; and Mr. MARSHALL'S share was admitted to the firm on 1st July.  
HONGKONG, August 2, 1899.

NOTICE.  
MR. FRITZ RAPP, has been duly authorized to sign our Firm per Procuration from this date.  
HONGKONG, June 15, 1899.

NOTICE.  
I HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE ADJUSTER, and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.  
HONGKONG, July 1, 1899.

NOTICE.  
I HAVE established myself at Kobe, and Japan, as COMMISSION MERCHANT and GENERAL AGENT.  
HONGKONG, April 16, 1899.

NOTICE.  
WE have authorized Mr. CLAUDE BUDD to sign our Firm from this date.  
HONGKONG, January 1, 1899.

NOTICE.  
THE business of KINRAID & Co., Foochow, will be carried on from and after this date under the style and firm of KINRAID & Co., Ltd., with Mr. WILLIAM BALFOUR KINRAID and Mr. THOMAS LANCHESTER as partners.  
HONGKONG, May 1, 1899.

NOTICE.  
MR. LEONHARD STAL has been admitted as a Partner in our Firm from this date.  
HONGKONG, July 1, 1899.

## HONGKONG HOTEL.

FROM this date the Management of the Hongkong Hotel is placed in charge of Mr. GEORGE E. FORRE, to whom all communications should be addressed.  
HONGKONG HOTEL, April 1, 1899.

## FOR SALE.

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Ex "Chetah," British Empire, Invincible, 1st class, etc., etc.  
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RUGER, in quarts and pints, first class and half-pints.  
VIN D'AY MOUSSEUX, in quarts and pints.  
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Blass & Co., in wood and bottle.  
BARKLEY FRERES & Co., in quarts and pints, first class DUBLIN STOUT, by E. & T. Barker, in quarts and pints.  
GINGER BRANDY, GINGER WINE, ORANGE BITTERS.  
Kinchuan's L.V. WHISKEY, in glass.  
Old Scotch JAMES WHISKEY, in glass.  
HEINRICH BRANDY.  
SWISS & BORD'S OLD TOM.  
"BUBBLED" PATENT, in 3 and 4 tins.  
PATENT GELATINE, LOAF SUGAR.  
Teyssonneux FRUITS, in Juice and Brandy.  
Teyssonneux JAMS and JELLIES.  
Crosse & Blackwell's OILMAN STORES, comprising every requisite for Families and Messes.  
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Yellow Split PEAS, Regulation LIME JUICE, BLACKLEAD, PLUMBAGO, PUMICE-STONE, etc., etc.  
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co., Hongkong, August 30, 1899.

## For Sale.

MR. GLASSE begs to call attention to a few out of a large number of recently imported articles, viz:—  
• GAZUGENES and SELTZGENES, India Rubber SPONGES, elastic STUCKINGS and Knee CAPS, Champagne TAPES for Lavaliers and Travellers, Baling CAPS and Spunge BAGS, Kinking APOONS and Folding BUTTLES, Kimmel's and Bully's Toilet VINEGAR, Spring Top Union Snelling BOTTLES, Flesh GLOVES of every description, Boudault's and Morson's PEPSINE, Chlorodyne LAZENGES, Sulphuric and other ACIDS, NITRATE OF SILVER, CHLORIDE OF LIME, Burdett's Disinfecting FLUID, Lime JUICE, etc., etc.  
THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY, Hongkong, August 27, 1899.

## FOR SALE.

Just received, ex Mail Steamer. BILLIARD CLOTHS of the best quality. STAG HOTEL, Hongkong, August 13, 1899.

## FOR SALE.

Ex "Aquila," Chetah and other late arrivals. FIVE TONS Hubbuck's White ZINC, 5 do. best English do. do. 2 do. Hubbuck's White LEAD, 5 do. best English do. do. 2 do. Hubbuck's Black PAINT, 2 do. do. Red LEAD, Hubbuck's Dry Yellow OCHRE, do. Patent DRYERS in 28 lbs. Tins, in 7 lbs. and 1 lb. 100 drums Hubbuck's Boiled PAINT OIL, 25 do. do. Raw do. do. 170 gross assorted Brass (Patent Taper) Folding MESSIN'S assorted Sizes, 100 cases Eatin CHEESE, Galvanized and Iron SPIKES from 4 in. to 8 in. INDIA RUBBER from 3 to 4. All kinds of Door LOCKS, Brass Mortise LOCKS and FURNITURE, Glass, Paper and Emery CLOTH, Best Holland GIN in small and large bottles.

L. FRICKEL & Co., Hongkong, August 20, 1899.

## FOR SALE.

Ex "Samuel Russell," BORDEN'S Condensed MILK (Fresh), Ex "Chetah," Scotch SALMON, Fintin HADDUCKS and LOBSTERS, in 1 lb. Tins. Also a choice variety of SOUPS in 1 lb. Tins. Apply to J. F. ROSE, Wellington Street, Hongkong, August 24, 1899.

## FOR SALE.

Under power contained in the Mortgage Deed, All those valuable Premises situated in Hongkong, abutting on Queen's Road in the South, and partly on the Fringe on the North, formerly occupied by Messrs. Smith, Kennedy & Co., and now in the occupation of Messrs. B. Schellhaas & Co. The Premises are built on Marine Lot No. 101, and are held under Lease from the Crown for 999 years, subject to a Crown rent of £24 10s. per annum. The Premises are spacious and airy, and the ground comprises an area of 14,400 square feet.

Those valuable Premises adjoining the above on its Western boundary, formerly in the occupation of the Asiatic Bank, and built on Inland Lot No. 514. These Premises are likewise held under a Crown Lease for 999 years, subject to a Crown rent of £24 10s. per annum, and the Lot contains an area of 6,750 square feet.

The above valuable Property will be sold by Public Auction in Hongkong on some early day (of which due notice will be given), unless previously disposed of by private contract.

For further particulars, apply to Messrs. SMITH, ALCHER & Co., or HENRY C. CALDWELL, Esq., Hongkong, 3rd August, 1899.

FOR SALE. BARRIS Best PORTLAND CEMENT. FREDERICK DEGENAER, Hongkong, August 12, 1899.

FOR SALE. FAWCETT & Co. are now landing, ex "Dunelm," and other late arrivals:—Boghead's BASS, ALE, Barrels do. Kilderskin do. BASS'S ALE, in pints and quarts. GUINNESS'S STOUT, in ditto. Pale SHERRY; Old PORT, CHAMPAGNE, in pints and quarts. Sparkling and Still HOCK. York HAMS and Cheddar CHEESE. American BUTTER.

Also, Galvanized Iron WIRE ROPE, from 1 in. to 4 in. Galvanized Iron JIB HANKS, from 2 in. to 3 in. PAINTS and OILS; CANVAS and TWINE. Preserved MEATS, SOUPS, and FISH. OILMAN'S STORES. Fairbank's SCALES, 2,000 and 2,500 lbs. Enfield Converted Breachloader RIFLES with Ammunition complete.

Ex "Cambridge," Hennessy's BRANDY, in cases, Hongkong, June 12, 1899.

## NEW BOOK.

HE Speculations of "The Old Philosopher" LAU TZE. Translated from the Chinese by JOHN CHALMERS, A.M. Price \$1.50. Also, "The Origin of the Chinese" by the same author. Price \$1. Apply at Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. or The London Mission House, Hongkong, October 17, 1898.

## FOR SALE.

THE following SETS of the "CHINA PUNCH" can be obtained, stitched in paper wrappers, at the rate of 25 cents per copy viz:—  
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11 sets complete from 11. \$8.50.  
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## New Advertisements.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, IN LIQUIDATION.  
HE Underigned have been instructed by the Manager of Eastern Branches in India on behalf of the Provisional Liquidators to inform Holders of Policies in the East of the following Telegram issued by the Head Office in London.  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Managing Agents in China, Hongkong, September 3, 1899.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, IN LIQUIDATION.  
The following Telegram has been received from London:—"Suspend payment of premiums on behalf of the Provisional Liquidators, who have been authorized by the Court of Chancery to receive the same to be returned in full on the 1st of January, if no reconstructions or arrangements with another Company (the be) affected, will policy (policy) hold 'as is' in India name some India name 'some India policy-holders here to confer with the aboveholders by next mail."

The following construction is placed upon the above message:—"Suspend payment of premiums on behalf of the Provisional Liquidators, who have been authorized by the Court of Chancery to receive the same, to be returned in full on the 1st of January, if no reconstructions or arrangements with another Company be effected. Will policy-holders in India name some India name 'some India policy-holders here to confer with the aboveholders by next mail."

In compliance with the Telegram, payments are suspended; and the underigned is prepared to receive Premiums on behalf of the Provisional Liquidators—such Premiums to be placed in a separate account at the Bank of Bengal, and to be returned, as explained in the Telegram, if no reconstruction or arrangement can be effected.

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**LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.**  
Designated having been appointed as the above Corporation and grant Fire and Marine Insurance Terms.  
**HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,**  
25, December 28, 1897.

**THE INSURANCE OFFICE.**  
Designated having been appointed as the above Insurance Office prepared to accept Marine Insurance Policies on any first-class vessels or steamers, on the usual terms in case of loss, in Canton, Calcutta, Bombay, or London.  
**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,**  
25, June 21, 1894.

**NOTICE.**  
**INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
Following Rates will be charged for short period Insurance:  
One Month 1 per cent.  
Three Months 3 per cent.  
Six Months 6 per cent.  
The full Annual Rate of 1 per cent.  
**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,**  
Agents, Royal Insurance Company, 25, April 7, 1898.

**NOTICE.**  
Designated having received extension from THE ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY, are now authorized to issue first-class Policies, on or under their own name, in Hongkong, Macao, and elsewhere.  
**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,**  
Agents, Company of Liverpool, 10, June 17, 1898.

**REDUCTION OF RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.**  
Designated have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October) received authority from the ROYAL LONDON ASSURANCE to reduce the rate of Premium in circumstances on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and other contents, as follows:  
On Private Residences, the rate of Premium is reduced to 1 per cent. on the sum insured.  
On Furniture and other contents, the rate of Premium is reduced to 1 per cent. on the sum insured.  
For further information, apply to the Agents of the Company, Praya West, T. A. HARRIS, Agents.  
Hongkong, August 16, 1898.

**INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.**  
Designated, Agents for the above are prepared to grant Policies on BUILDINGS and current rates.  
**RUSSELL & Co.,**  
25, February 6, 1897.

**SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
Designated having been appointed in Hongkong for the above are prepared to grant Policies on BUILDINGS, at current rates.  
**RUSSELL & Co.,**  
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**THE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.**  
Designated on Marine Insurance to be of the world at current rates, on the usual brokerage, this returns to the assured Fifteen per cent. profit divided pro rata premium contributed.  
**RUSSELL & Co.,**  
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**INSURANCE COMPANY SAMARANG.**  
Designated having been appointed in Hongkong for the above are prepared to grant Policies on Marine Risks, at the current rates.  
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**DE OOSTERLING FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA.**  
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**COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.**  
**PAQUEBOTS POSTES FRANCAIS.**  
STEAM FOR  
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA, MARSEILLES.  
Also,  
BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.  
The Company's Steamship "HOOGLY," Commandant as before, will leave this Port for the above places with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIES, AND CARGO, on THURSDAY, the 9th September, at Noon.  
Cargo and Species will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.  
Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. of the 8th, Species and Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 8th. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agents' Office.)  
For Particulars regarding Freight and Passages, apply at the Company's Office, HONGKONG, CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.  
C. BERTHARD, Principal Agent, Hongkong, August 28, 1898.

**PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.**  
THROUGH U.S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK.  
STEAMERS of this line will be despatched as follows:  
Sept. 18, America.  
Oct. 19, Japan.  
Nov. 19, China.  
Dec. 18, Great Republic.  
A Steamer will leave Shanghai on or about same date, connecting at Yokohama with above-named steamer.  
Passengers ticketed through to California, Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall.  
Baltic tickets issued at a reduction of 10% upon the whole amount for the round voyage.  
Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steamship Company," (Limited), and the "French Transatlantic Company," and at New York with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the following Steamship Lines: Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., New York and Bremen Steamship Co., and North German Lloyd.  
Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.  
Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America as far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton and St. Nazaire, France.  
Freight to United States payable in advance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent. additional at shipper's option.  
For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West, T. A. HARRIS, Agents.  
Hongkong, August 16, 1898.

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MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES MAIL PACKER "AMERICA."  
MAILS WILL CLOSE  
For YOKOHAMA, SAN FRANCISCO, THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED KINGDOM, on SATURDAY, the 18th September, at 2 P.M.  
The Rates of Postage on Correspondence forwarded by this opportunity, which must in each case be paid in advance, are as follows, viz.:  
To Yokohama, San Francisco and the United States.  
For Letters, 8 cents per half-ounce.  
For each Newspaper not exceeding 4 ounces, 2 cents.  
For a Packet of Books, 6 cents per 4 ounces.  
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To the United Kingdom.  
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For a Packet of Books, 6 cents per 4 ounces.  
Book Packets must not exceed two feet in length or one foot in width or depth.  
To the United Kingdom.  
For Letters, 24 cents per half-ounce.  
For each Newspaper not exceeding 4 ounces, 4 cents.  
For a Packet of Books or Patterns, 8 cents per 4 ounces.  
Correspondence addressed to Yokohama, San Francisco, and the United States must be superscribed "America," and that addressed to the United Kingdom must be superscribed, via San Francisco. Correspondence addressed to the United Kingdom not fully prepaid will be sent via Suez.  
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On the 1st October next, and thenceforward Money Orders will be issued at this Office and at the Agencies thereof at Shanghai and Yokohama on all the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for amounts not exceeding £10, at the rate of Exchange Current for each Mail, and charged with Commission according to the following Scale, viz.:  
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5.—Applicants for Money Orders must furnish, in full, the surname, and, at least, the initial of one Christian name, both of the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remitter or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his ordinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, the usual designation of such firm, such as "Baring Brothers" will suffice; but the mere term Messrs., such as "Messrs. Livingston," or the name of a Company trading under a title which does not consist of the names of the persons composing it, such as "Carroll Co." is inadmissible.  
6.—The Remitter on stating that the Order is to be paid only through a Bank, has the option of giving, or withholding, the name of the Payee; in such case, the Order will be crossed in the same way that Cheques are commonly crossed when they are intended to be paid through a Bank.  
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Pickled Mangoes, 100 in barrel, 20s  
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Curry Paste  
Curry-Powder  
Tamarind Fruit, 100  
Tamarind Seed, 100  
Mango Fish Bones  
Smoked Mango Fish, 100 in tin, 11s  
Chili Vinegar  
Cayenne Pepper  
Guava Jelly  
Tippuram Jam  
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Pine Apple Jelly  
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A. OVERBURY, Superintendent, Hongkong, October 29, 1898.

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